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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1934.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Frank Brown spent the week end at Portland.

Harold Chamberlin spent the week end at Winthrop.

Mrs. Ada Mills of Norway is visiting Mrs. Jennie Littlehale.

Mrs. Edna Page is spending the week with a friend in Rumford.

Perley Flint returned Saturday from a business trip to New York.

Mrs. Eleanor Rich of Norway was the week end guest of Miss Edna Brown.

Mrs. Herman Robertson spent the week end with her mother in Massachusetts.

The annual Parish Supper of the Congregational Church was held Tuesday evening.

Mrs. and Mrs. Perley Wing returned to Bryant Pond Tuesday after a few days' visit with C. F. Moore.

The Past Chiefs of Mishemokwa of Hanover will meet with Selma McPherson Wednesday.

Mrs. Irving Carver and two children are spending a few days at Skowhegan, R. F. Homsted, at Skowhegan.

Wheeler returned Sunday from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Leona Barlow of Hanover was the guest of Mrs. Helen Berry the week end. She is now visiting for Mrs. Sadie Robertson.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ross Knapp were at Madison Sunday by the invitation of Mr. Knapp's mother, Mrs. Fletcher, who was 91 years old.

The primary and grammar schools are closed this week because of the painting which is being done at the grammar school.

Ray Lisherness has returned from Strong where she has been several weeks, during the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Richards.

Many places the thermometer showed new low levels during another cold spell from Monday to Wednesday, when it was below zero of the time.

W. Ramsell was unable to go to the store the first of the week as the result of injuries received when he fell on the ice near the corner of Broad Street.

The ends of Miss Virginia Brown of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Ramsell are pleased to learn that she has passed probation and received her cap and cape at the Mass. Hospital.

The home of T. B. Goodwin was entered by fire Tuesday when the chimney caused fire to spread between the flooring. After the fire was out the floor was washed with only small damage.

L. Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Carter of Bethel and Quebec, is one of the outstanding 1000-yarders to report to the College freshman track this winter. He entered the team of Liberal Arts at Tufts Worcester Academy. He is a member of Theta Delta Chi fraternity.

Of interest is the fact that a Pare, Massachusetts State champion, is also a candidate for "1000" honors, but to date has been taking him into practice sessions.

WORK STARTED ON WORLD'S TWO LARGEST FISH HATCHERIES IN MAINE

Working in conjunction with the Fish and Game Department the Federal Emergency Relief Administration has offered the help of one of its units, the Federal Transient Department to construct two fish hatcheries, one at Gray with the capacity of six million six inch trout a year and another at Kokadjo, about twenty miles above Greenville which will have the output of one million land locked salmon yearly.

Both of these projects are to be carried to completion by transient labor. That is, all homeless men wandering around within the State will be made wards of the government with all lodging, meals, and clothing provided in return for work on the hatcheries.

During the intervals that work is not available the men will be engaged in recreational and educational pursuits designed to prepare them for work when they leave the camp. They are also to be given ninety cents a week for spending money.

Over five hundred men will be used of which two hundred have already been accepted. The Government maintains registration centers at Bangor, Augusta and Portland.

MRS. FRANCES C. NOYES

Mrs. Frances C. Noyes died on Sunday evening at 6:15 o'clock at the home of her step-son, John Noyes, at the age of 105 years. Mrs. Noyes' birthday on Jan. 12 was observed by relatives and friends and the night following she was taken with her final illness.

Mrs. Noyes was the daughter of Joseph and Hannah Dustin Stearns and was born in Bethel Jan. 12, 1829. She married Albert Swan and of the six children born to them, a daughter, Mrs. Ada Bennett, aged 81, survives and has lived with her mother for several years. Other surviving relatives are 11 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren, 10 great-great-grandchildren and three great-great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Noyes second marriage was to Lyman Bird and they resided at Stearns Hill, Paris, until his death. Later she married Augustus Noyes of Greenwood and they lived on a large and productive farm in Richardson Hollow, Greenwood. After his death she has continued to live with his son, John, who married her grand-daughter and the family composed of Mr. Noyes and daughter Ada and Mrs. Ada Bennett have been a most agreeable trio. The family moved to Maple Street, West Paris, soon after the death of Mrs. John Noyes.

Mrs. Noyes retained her faculties to a remarkable degree being able to read without glasses and sign her name to business papers. She had a keen interest in the home and village affairs until her final illness.

The funeral was held Wednesday, Rev. A. E. Maxwell officiating, and the remains placed in the receiving tomb to await burial in the Swan family lot at Bethel.

BETHEL MUSICIANS

The Bethel Musicians held their monthly meeting with Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf Tuesday afternoon. The composer studied was Weber and Miss Chase gave a sketch of his life. Selections on the piano followed:

Watching the Soldiers, Gary York

Tin Soldiers, Elizabeth Gorman

Duet, May Day.

Jacquelyn Allen, Richard Bryant

Parking Doll, June Inman

NORWAY AND MEXICO DEFEAT GOULD FIVES

Allen Stars in Friday and Wednesday Games—Varsity Loses by Two Points Each Time

GOULD 28—NORWAY 30

In a sensational game that packed William Bingham Gymnasium to the doors Friday evening, Gould and Norway battled on even terms until Hall dropped the winning goal with less than a minute to play.

Saleeby and Hall starred for Norway but Allen was the outstanding player on the floor, starring in both offense and defense. His work was sensational and if he can keep up that sort of game the team will go far. Hamlin and Martinson also turned in some excellent defensive work. Hamlin's inexperience on the varsity proved to handicap him some but he is bound to improve, while Bud Browne was noticeably slowed up due to his week's layoff because of a leg injury.

In a preliminary game the visitors won another close battle by the score of 23-21. Millett starred for Norway while Parsons led the local underdogs.

NORWAY (30)	G	F	P
Saleeby, rf.	5	0	10
Hall, lf.	4	0	8
Bartlett, c	2	0	4
Cordwell, rg.	1	0	2
Morse, rg.	1	1	3
Frost, lg.	1	1	3

GOULD (28)	G	F	P
Browne, rf	2	0	4
Hamlin, lf	1	1	3
Allen, c	9	0	18
Martinson, rg	0	0	0
Stanley, lg	1	1	3

Referee—Clark Abbott (U. of M.)

MEXICO 27—GOULD 25

Another thrilling game was played Wednesday evening when Mexico defeated Gould 27-25 at Mexico. In the first four minutes of the struggle Mexico piled up a lead of 14-1 and Gould's fight to overcome this handicap gave the fans one of the most interesting contests of the season.

Gould's second team was defeated 10-6.

MEXICO (27)	G	F	P
Dawson	5	0	10
Mulr	5	1	11
Gloden	3	0	6
Miles	0	0	0
Gaudette	0	0	0
Brown	0	0	0
Desroches	0	0	0

GOULD (25)	G	F	P
Berry	1	0	2
P. Browne	2	0	4
Allen	6	2	14
Martinson	0	0	0
Stanley	2	0	4
Wright	0	1	1

DINNER PARTY OF EASY ACES

One of the happiest evenings in a long series of delightful affairs occurred on January 23, at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Moore. The occasion was the annual dinner party of the Easy Aces Bridge Club. Mrs. Moore catered and covers were laid for twelve at half-past six. A floral center piece of Killarney roses and seasonable place cards were the table decorations. An unexcelled menu was served. Three tables of auction were in progress. At the close of the play prizes were chosen in turn from the season's highest score-holder to the lowest, as follows: Mrs. Elsie Davis, Mrs. Jane Van, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Thelma Van, Mrs. Ruth Carver, Mrs. Dorothy Tucker, Mrs. Patricia Bennett, Mrs. Doris Lord, Mrs. Grace MacFarlane, Mrs. Doris Bryant, Mrs. Wilma Cutler, Mrs. Alberta Wilson.

OXFORD COUNTY DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS START JUNE PRIMARY CAMPAIGNS

Oxford County candidates in the June primaries which have been announced include:

Republican—for Governor, Donald B. Partridge, Norway; sheriff, Howard F. Davis of Rumford and Norman U. Greenlaw of Norway; register of deeds, Harvey Powers; clerk of courts, Rupert Aldrich; county attorney, E. Walker Abbott; county treasurer, Harry M. Shaw.

Democrats—Sheriff, William O. Frothingham of South Paris; county attorney, Matthew McCarthy, Rumford; senators, Alton Bartlett of Hanover and Waldo Seavey of Lovell; clerk of courts, Ernest C. Callendo of Mexico.

THURSTON PRESIDENT OF RUMFORD BANK

Paul C. Thurston of Bethel was elected president of the Rumford Falls Trust Co., last week, succeeding Elisha Pratt, who had resigned after serving 40 years as treasurer and president. Arthur N. Stowell of Dixfield was elected one of the vice-presidents.

Mr. Thurston has been vice-president of this bank for several years. He is head of the J. A. Thurston Co., dowell manufacturer, and a member of the State Highway Commission.

CHANGES IN WINTER CARNIVAL PROGRAM

The Winter Sports Carnival committee have announced several changes in the program for the events on Saturday, Feb. 3. The ski jumping and slalom race will be held on the Vernon Street jump at ten o'clock in the morning. The slalom will be a down hill ski race with two sharp turns and each contestant will be timed. The snow shoe and ski dashes, cross country and obstacle races for both boys and girls will be held in the William Bingham Gymnasium in the evening with a varied program of dances including a special costume dance by a group of six, a bridal dance, circle waltz, fox trots and waltzes. The committee on refreshments will sell ice cream and cookies.

Howard Thurston is chairman of the reserved tables committee and the charge is five cents per person. Make your reservations early. There will be no admission charge for the sports events in the morning or afternoon. The admission fee for the cabaret will be 25 cents and the proceeds of the affair will be used by the Y. M. C. A. to defray the expenses of delegates to the State Y. M. C. A. summer camp at Lake Umbagog next summer. Last season the "Y" was able to send two delegates, Paul Browne and Eldredge Berry, and it is hoped that this year's activities will be as successful.

The regular February meeting of the Eastern Star will be held on Wednesday evening Feb. 7th, at eight o'clock. After the meeting a short program will be given under the direction of Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. W. C. Garey and Mrs. Arthur Cutler.

A party was given Miss Ruth Elva Weagle at her home Saturday evening in honor of her 15th birthday. Those present were Miss Pauline LaRue, Miss Mildred Heath, Miss Joyce Chapman, Miss Betty Weagle, Miss Evelyn Hunt, Clarence Poole, Maurice Poole, Robert Chapman, Robert Moore, Manning Chapman, Arthur Gibbs, Robert Weagle, and the guest of honor.

BROWN NOT UP FOR RE-ELECTION AS SELECTMAN

Despite the urging of his friends to accept the candidacy for re-election as Selectman of Bethel, Frank A. Brown, chairman of the board, has announced that he will not be a candidate at the March meeting.

Mr. Brown has held this office since March, 1931, and before then had served as first selectman and road commissioner for 12 years preceeding 1927. He has served this district for two terms in the Legislature and has always worked successfully for the good of the town.

BOOKS ADDED TO BETHEL LIBRARY IN JANUARY

Tom Swift and His Electric Rifle, Victor Appleton

Tom Swift and His Chest of Secrets, Victor Appleton

The Home Run King, Geo. H. Ruth

Tom Slade in the North Woods, P. K. Fitzhugh

A. S. Hinkley

Doctor Dollittle's Return, Hugh Lofting

The Pinto Pony, Hoffman Birney

The Old Man Dies, Elizabeth Spriggs

Marlborough, His Life and Time, Winston Churchill

Charles the First, King of England, Hilaire Belloc

GREENWOOD VOTERS TO HAVE ALL ROADS PLOWED

At a largely attended special town meeting at Locke Mills last Saturday afternoon it was decided to hire the roads plowed. The selectmen were instructed to make the necessary arrangements.

BEANS CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bean Greeted Many Friends at Newry Corner Last Thursday Evening

There was a large attendance at the reception held by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bean last Thursday evening at the Newry Corner Grange Hall in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bean, their children and grandchildren. They were the recipients of a number of gifts including a large sum of money, and a stand cloth made by Mrs. Carrie French from linen spun and woven by Mrs. Bean's mother.

Old fashioned dances were enjoyed. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served. The wedding cake, decorated in gold and white, was made by Mrs. Elmer Bean. The following original poem, written by Mrs. Addie K. Mason, was read by Miss Frances Bean:

WEDDING CHIMES

Affectionately inscribed to Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bean, by a sincere friend who "made merry" with them at their first reception.

Fifty years since your wedding morning,

Fifty years since your wedding day—

Over the same hills the great sun

dawning

Glees with a brightness, for you,

Life's way.

Hark, 'tis the golden wedding

chimes

Pealing forth their gladsome

rhymes

And sure no sadness floats on

memory's tide;

For through all the fifty years,

With their mingled hopes and

fears,

Faithfully you've journeyed side by

side.

Many days have been full of glad-

ness,

Many the friends who love you

well;

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WEST PARIS AND VICINITY

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Edwin J. Mann, Maxine Mann, Eloise Scribner and Floyd Deane returned Sunday evening after spending several days last week with relatives in Rumbold.

Miss Ruth Tucker is improving from illness from a heavy cold.

The newly organized class for bible study met with Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes Tuesday evening. The class has taken the name of the "Glad Hands Class" and its officers are: president, Mrs. Lennie Gould; vice president, Mrs. Harry W. Chapman; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Walter Inman.

The Senior Class of West Paris High School served a public supper Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Knight are spending the week at Manchester, Mass.

Edwin J. Mann was called to Summit, N. J., Thursday, Jan. 24, by the death of his long time friend, Adams Griffin.

The Friendly Class of the Universalist Sunday School held their monthly meeting Thursday with Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes. A penny lunch was enjoyed.

The family of Verner Smith is still under quarantine for scarlet fever.

Mrs. Herbert E. Hill has recovered from her recent illness sufficiently to be out again.

West Paris Grange enjoyed a picnic dinner Saturday and conferred the third and fourth degrees on one candidate.

Friends of Mrs. G. A. Smith, who recently underwent surgery at the State Street Hospital, Portland, will be glad to know that she is making a good recovery and went Monday to Gorham, N. H., to further recuperate at the home of her mother, Mrs. Martha Buck, before returning home.

Mrs. Eben Pike has returned from the Massachusetts General Hospital where she underwent a successful operation.

The children and young people are enjoying the skating rink which has not been flooded this winter until recently.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated at the funeral of G. Arthur Chandler at West Sumner on Wednesday. The West Paris Lodge, I. O. O. F., attended and performed their burial service.

Mrs. S. T. White entertained the Ladies Aid of the United Parish Tuesday afternoon for work. A picnic supper was enjoyed and a social evening.

Ella M. Curtis is gaining slowly from a long illness. Mrs. Richard Wagar has been with her during the winter.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Inez Bean is keeping house for W. B. Cummings.

L. Donald Bond conducted the church service at the Clark school-house on Sunday.

R. E. Hill was in Norway Friday. His daughter Betty came home with him for the week end.

Arthur Curtis called to see Roy Wardwell one day last week.

W. E. Canwell has had a very sick horse. It seems to be improving at this writing. Dr. Greenleaf from Bethel attended it.

Donald Brown and the Lynchville road Thursday.

Asclemar Morgan from Bethel was a Sunday guest at Leon Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nutting and Jean Inman were Sunday guests at Isaac Wardwell's.

Frederic Scribner spent the week end at home.

Miss Mildred Millett from East Waterford is working for Mrs. Ethel Fullerton.

E. K. Shedd called on his uncle, J. A. Kimball, one day recently.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Jan. 28—The last Sunday in January—and such a contrast to last Sunday! Not a gleam of sunshine outside, so we had to make sunshine within. A real London fog with snow falling nearly all day.

Mrs. Alura Andrews has again gone back to work in Penley's mill at West Paris.

Letters received from Miss Helen Farrar state that she arrived at Providence O. K. and likes her position as office assistant with clerical work for a Providence physician.

Ted Sampson is now working for Gerald Davis taking the place left vacant by Roy Coffin's entering the employ of Benson Bros.

A social will be held at the Seventh Day Adventist Church on Wednesday evening, this week. Everyone is welcome at these nice gatherings which are greatly enjoyed by both young and old.

The many friends of Mrs. Rose Perkins of South Andover are very sorry to hear that she has been quite ill and confined to her room.

Mrs. Arlene LeFoy and baby are stopping with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Poland and family. As school girls Arlene and Helen were schoolmates while attending Perkins school in Perkins Valley and while attending Woodstock High at the village of Bryant Pond.

The Willing Workers met Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 24, with Mrs. Olive Davis at her pleasant home. This meeting was observed as annual election of officers. The officers for the past year had proved so efficient that it was the unanimous vote that the same officers serve for another year. A few of the committee officers resigned stating that their multiplied home cares would not allow them to give the attention needed to this important position. A social program was enjoyed, also nice refreshments of sandwiches with a most excellent brew of English tea. Some work was done cutting out squares for another quilt which is now underway for a sale and supper which will probably be held at Union Church at some near future time.

We were glad to see the name of Felt so prominent among the names of the officers of Franklin Grange of Woodstock for the year 1934. The name of Felt is revered among Woodstock's earliest settlers. John Felt, the great-grandfather of Lester and Linwood Felt came early to Woodstock and from the primitive forests cleared the land, felling and burning the giant monarchs, where is now the large and attractive home of this well known family. The line of descent being John Grover Felt, Granville Newton Felt, Albert Newton Felt, and his sons, Lester Albert Felt and Linwood Felt. The life of farming has always been the principal occupation in the Felt family although other branches of work have been carried on—coopering, lumbering, basket-making, trapping and hunting. The younger set have had the better privileges of education being graduates of Woodstock High and both Lester and Linwood are striving for a still higher education in connection with their farm life.

Acid—or Sour Stomach

This is a symptom of indigestion often caused by faulty diet, sometimes by overeating. Less sweets, starches or pickles for a while will help relieve the trouble. But be sure to use this safe and sure family remedy, "L. F." Atwood's Medicine. 50c bottle contains 60 doses.

"L. F." Atwood's Medicine

Mrs. Florence Benson has commenced to work as she is needed, in the family of John Allen. Her sister, Helen Farrar, was formerly the assistant for Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. Rose Cole, who has been quite poorly for some time seems better just now. She is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Lyla Dean and family.

Our 4-H Club has reorganized under the leadership of Mrs. Lyla Dean assisted by Mrs. Jessie Flagg. Mrs. Dean has previously been a leader of this club here at South Woodstock, and is a great help to the young ladies of the club. Among others her daughter Elsie greatly enjoys the social and working activities of our 4-H Club.

Mrs. Velma Brown Davis spent the week end at Bryant Pond at the Brown and Austin home.

GREENWOOD CITY

Lena Yates of Tubbs District is working at Roy Morgan's. Mrs. Morgan, who has been very ill, is gaining.

The special town meeting at Locke Mills, Saturday, was well attended by voters from this end of the town.

Delphina Whitman, Fay Morgan, and Ida Oman returned to their boarding places, and studies at West Paris Monday morning.

Little Day of Woodstock spent a few days last week with Mrs. Clyde Morgan.

Frank Curtis of Woodstock was a caller at the home of Clyde Morgan on Thursday evening.

Doris Hayes was a caller at Dwight Libby's at West Paris on Saturday.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Several from this community attended the special town meeting at Locke Mills Saturday afternoon.

Glenn Martin visited his cousin Orin Cole at West Paris recently.

School in this vicinity began on Monday after a vacation of a week. William Bailey has been visiting with his aunt, Mrs. Ella Bradford, at North Paris.

Mary Martin of Mason and Beryl Martin, who is working at Stow, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin, over the week end. Ethel Libby of Rowe Hill, and Lee Mills, who is working at Stow, visited there, also.

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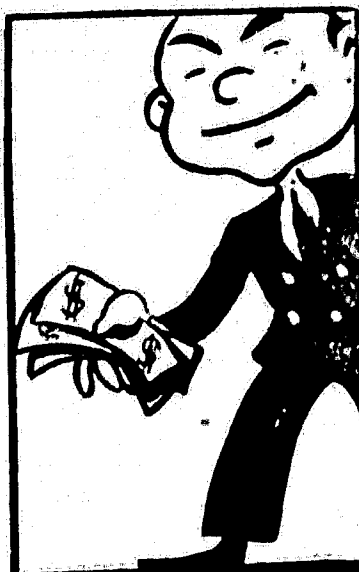
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- LADIES DRESS COATS, \$18.95 value for \$9.95
- LADIES' SUEDE RAINCOATS, \$5.00 value. \$2.95
- LADIES' DRESSES in silk crepes. \$4.95 value for \$2.95
- LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES, green, blue, brown. 95¢
- A Few TRAVEL TWEED DRESSES left. \$3.50 value. \$1.95
- MEN'S ALL WOOL ZIPPER JACKETS, \$2.95
- MEN'S ALL WOOL KERSEY COATS, \$15 value. \$5.95
- MEN'S ALL WOOL SHAKER KNIT SWEATERS, \$2.95
- MEN'S ALL WOOL HOSE, 50c value. 3 PRS. for \$1
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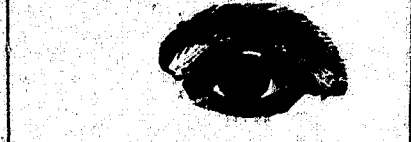
A. Hablow, Prop.



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STATE LEADER VISITS

BRYANT POND 4-H

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BRYANT POND AND VICINITY

STATE LEADER VISITS BRYANT POND 4-H CLUB

The Jolly Workers 4-H Club met at the home of the leader, Mrs. J. W. Penfold, Friday, Jan. 26th for an all day meeting.

The club was pleased to have Mr. J. W. Penfold, the State 4-H Club Leader, and Miss Watters, County Leader, as guests. The members made coffee rolls, yeast bread, and cake. At noon everyone enjoyed a lunch with "weenies."

Following a business meeting, games were played in charge of Mrs. Cushman and Barbara Cole.

The next meeting is to be held Feb. 3. The subject matter is cake making, table setting, and etiquette. Ida Cushman is to demonstrate cake making.

BRYANT POND

R. Billings, who went to New York to attend the funeral of James Griffin returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. Bessie Billings, Mrs. Lottie Wingway and Henry Brown were in Portland Saturday to see Misses Dorothea and Eva Billings.

Rowe Hill, Greenwood

Another cold wave—raining Sunday and 20 below zero Monday. Why shouldn't people have colds? Bessie Libby, who entertained chicken pox during her week's vacation, is out again.

School kept Monday in spite of cold but did not keep Tuesday. Only two pupils appeared in the morning.

Vera Dunham visited relatives at Locke Mills a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham of Bethel were at Elton Dunham's Sunday.

Callers at Newton, Bryant's on Sunday were Glen Martin and Stanley Seames of Greenwood Center and Ethel Libby.

The roads were drifted Monday and the mailman did not go over the hill.

Mrs. Margaret Bryant and Mrs. Abel Dunham were callers at Della Ring's last Wednesday.

Iva Lang and Winifred Bryant were better from their colds but still have the cough.

Wesley Ring went to Hunt's Corner last Friday after hay.

Elton Dunham came home Saturday night from his work at Locke Mills. There is no C. W. A. work this week on the school building. They are to work two days per week from now on.

GROVER HILL

It has been very cold here for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morrill from Bethel were dinner guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Abbott's, Mrs. Hazel Tohl, has employment with Mrs. Albert Skillings, West Bethel Flat.

Ellen Chamberlain was quite ill last night recently but is more comfortable this Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. B. Hutchinson from Mill Street, Bethel, was a guest at N. A. Kearns', a short time ago.

The Waterhouse children have been quite ill the past week.

BETHEL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Those in the Sixth Grade receiving 100% in spelling for the week ending Jan. 26 were: Howard Rubin, Irving Brown, Stuart Cross, Kathryn Davis, Lee Hutchins, Jean Egan, Lillian Leighton, Catherine McMillin, Edlyn McMillin, Earle Palmer, Margaret Vall, Eva Vawter, Edna Young, Harold Young.

At its present price, cheese is an economical and nutritious food, says Therese E. Wood, foods specialist for the Extension Service.

BRYANT POND P. T. A. TO DISCUSS NEW GYMNASIUM FOR WOODSTOCK HIGH

Thursday, Feb. 1, the Woodstock Parent Teacher Association will meet at the high school, this being its regular monthly meeting.

There will be a speaker of the evening who will talk on a subject that is of vital interest to all communities. It will deal with the question of handling of transients, commonly called—tramps.

The speaker will be Mr. George Greeley, Federal Transient Director of the State of Maine.

There will also be important business brought before the meeting concerning a special town meeting to be called to see whether the town will borrow money from the Public Works Administration to construct a gymnasium and auditorium on the high school grounds.

Plans will be shown and an explanation of them given, along with the estimated cost of the building. In view of this business and the efforts exerted to secure the special speaker for the evening, it is hoped that many will attend. The meeting is open to the public in general and members are urged to invite as many friends as possible.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Evelyn Knights visited her sister, Mrs. Otis Dudley, two days last week.

Mrs. Maxine Marble and sister, Evannah Fuller, visited Elizabeth Morgan one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Clinton Buck attended a Sisterhood meeting at Mrs. Marlon Mason's, Bryant Pond, one afternoon last week.

John Knights has returned to his work at Strong after spending several days with his sister, Mrs. Herman Cole.

Mrs. C. James Knights and baby Christine have returned home.

Pauline and Shirley Brown attended an all day club meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. Mann at Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Frank Sweetser and two children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole last Saturday.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Emily J. Philbrook late of Fellsmere, Florida, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

JESSIE P. KING,

Oct. 17th, 1933. Fellsmere, Florida

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BRYANT POND SUMMER RESIDENT DIES IN NEW-JERSEY

News has been received here that Adams Griffin, who has been ill for the past few weeks at his home in Summit, N. J., passed away Wednesday morning, January 24. He was associated with the J. B. Farrington tea and coffee firm of New York City and at the time of his death was president of the company.

Mr. Griffin was 62 years old and had been coming to Bryant Pond for the past 39 years. About seven years ago he built a cottage, better known as the "Capitol," near Merrifield Hill. Since that time, he, with his family, have been spending the greater part of each summer there.

He had made many friends in this community and will be greatly missed. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

MILTON

Mrs. Will Dyer has been confined to the house with a severe cold. Mr. Dyer is much better and able to get out a little.

Vern Jackson has gone to work again at Locke Mills.

Mrs. Mary Thompson's brother and sister from Vermont visited her recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck were callers at Clarence Jackson's Sunday.

Cuvier Jackson is visiting his mother, Mrs. Addie Lapham.

Harry Billings is driving Ernest Billings' truck, hauling pulp and wood.

The school was closed two weeks for the C. W. A. workers but has been reopened. The work has not been completed yet. The repairs were much needed and have been a great improvement to the building.

FARM AND HOME WEEK COMMITTEE IS ANNOUNCED

Arthur L. Deering, dean of the College of Agriculture, has announced the program committee for Farm and Home Week coming March 26-29 at the University of Maine.

Charles E. Merchant, professor of Agricultural Economics, is the chairman. Other members are: Llewellyn Dorsey, professor of Dairy Husbandry; Pearl S. Greene, head of the department of Home Economics; and Glenn K. Rule, agricultural editor.

Department heads in the college are rapidly completing their particular phases of the program according to Dean Deering.

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Albany—Waterford

June Penfold, Louise Stone, June and Lillian Brown were in Portland Saturday.

Fred Staples of Oxford was a business caller in this place Thursday, Jan. 25.

Mrs. Walter Lord spent the past week at Norway the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Herrick.

Miss Evelyn Cummings of Paris Hill is spending the week at Ernest Brown's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Canwell and daughter spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Sawin at South Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holt accompanied by her brother, Charlie Merrill, were recent visitors at South Berwick.

Floyd Kimball and Walter Lapham are hauling pulp from South Albany to Rumford.

E. C. Henley, rural carrier on route 1 will soon move to Harrison where he will deliver mail on two routes from the Harrison office. Carlton Barker of East Stoneham will take over the Albany route along with the one he has from the East Stoneham post office. Mr. Henley has served the patrons of route 1, for the past twenty-eight years and is considered a very efficient carrier.

WEST STONEHAM

Perry Ramey and Harry Libby have finished work for Albert Adams.

Jeannette Adams and Florence Currier spent Saturday with Jeannette's aunt, Mrs. Perley Adams, at Lynchville.

Zenon Fontaine was a caller at Walter Laroque's, North Lovell, on Saturday.

Charlie Carley and Jerry Currier have finished cutting birch for Fred Hersey on the Walter Binnell lot.

Albert Adams is hauling pine for Howard Palmer of Bridgton.

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GOULD ACADEMY
NOTES

The following chapel program was presented Wednesday morning:

Leader, Paul Browne.
Scripture Reading
Lord's Prayer
Mathematical Quotations, Stanley Allen, Edwin Bennett, Arthur Gibbs, and Eldredge Berry
Selections written by Mary Tibbetts: "The Use of the Triangle," read by Richard Marshall; "Astonishing Facts About the Circle," read by Richard Davis

In last week's girls' class basketball games, refereed by Miss Dorsey Hanscom, Physical Director of girls, the seniors won from the juniors 13 to 9, and the sophomores over the freshmen 34 to 4.

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ETHIOPIA, MELTING
POT OF MANY RACES

Claims to Be Oldest Christian Sovereign State.

Washington, D. C.—"Ethiopia, native land of Prince Desta Damtu, special ambassador of Emperor Saile Selassie I, who recently was a visitor at the White House, is 350,000 square miles (more than seven times the area of New York state) of rich and productive north-eastern African plateau," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

"Also commonly known as Abyssinia, Ethiopia is mainly a mountainous region, much broken by deep valleys. Arid, semi-desert country surrounds it on every side. It does not touch the sea, although some Ethiopian feudal chieftains like to grasp a marine telescope as they pose for a formal photograph.

"In the empire there are about 10,000,000 inhabitants, about one-half of whom are Christians of the true Ethiopia (Hamitic-Semitic) type. They are the inheritors of an ancient civilization under whose feudal form of government are estimated to be several million Moslems and pagans. The latter are mainly negroes.

"Ethiopia is surrounded by African colonial possessions of Great Britain, France and Italy. As the Ethiopia of Solomon's time, it probably included all of these adjacent territories, with an Egyptian frontier, and that part of southwestern Arabia known today as the Yemen and Hadhramaut.

Melting Pot of Races.

"The traveler is not long in Ethiopia until he is aware that the country is a sort of melting pot of Africans and Asiatics of many races. Some of the blood came from ancient Palestine, some from Arabia, and some from the shores of the Caspian. The Ethiopians claim with pride a strong relation to the Semites.

"Ethiopia's front door is the French port, Djibouti, French Somaliland. Viewed from an approaching steamer, the port town's small group of white-washed stone and mud buildings and pyramidal piles of salt glisten and sparkle in the tropical sun. Evaporating salt from sea water is Djibouti's leading industry.

"Djibouti is the terminus of the 500-mile railway line that links the port with the Ethiopian capital, Addis Ababa. The railway is Ethiopia's only modern connection with the outside world.

"The railroad right-of-way skirts the Harar district of Ethiopia, the center of production of Ethiopian coffee. The coffee bean produced there is of excellent quality and ranks next to Mocha in the world's markets. It is called 'longberry Mocha' and is sold to a discriminating clientele in the United States.

"Although the Harar plants are descended from seed introduced from the Mocha district of Arabia, Ethiopia is the home of coffee. The tree was found originally by Arab travelers in the Ethiopian province of Kafa, from which it took its name.

"Addis Ababa, which, incidentally is the home of Prince Desta Damtu, sprawls in a forest of blue gum trees with the church-crowned Mount Intotto, forming a lofty background.

Becoming Modern.

"Although somewhat isolated, the city is steadily improving along modern lines. In 1920, a one-story frame building was replaced by a handsome stone railroad station. At this building the traveler not only gets a glimpse of the capital's permanent and transient population, but of some of Ethiopia's leading articles of trade. They include bales of hides and skins, collected from interior provinces and brought to Addis Ababa for export to Europe and America; stacks of coffee bags; piles of elephant tusks; and bales of American cotton piece goods which are a principal import.

"A ride of twenty minutes on mule or horseback or five minutes by motor takes the visitor to the main part of the city of the 'New Flower.' On one of the two principal elevations of the city is the ever-interesting market place. There once stood the great tree which served for generations as a gibbet.

In bygone days it sometimes bore as many as seven criminals, generally thieves. On the site now is a fine equestrian statue of the late Emperor Menelik.

"Near the market are legations, consulates, hotels, and many modern business buildings. The city has about 200,000 inhabitants, about 5,000 of whom are foreigners, including about 50 Americans.

"The other elevation of Addis Ababa is crowned by the group of buildings which make up the imperial palace.

"Ethiopia claims to be the oldest Christian sovereign state. Christianity was introduced about A. D. 330. There are about 15,000 Christian state churches in the empire. A single church may have as many as 300 priests.

"After the profession of priest and soldier, farming is the principal occupation in Ethiopia. The country is very fertile, though methods of cultivation in many districts are still primitive."

This Ought to Be Prize
Fish Story of the Year

Susanville, Calif.—It was an accommodating fish that Fred Hartzell, vice president of the Lassen County Fish and Game league, caught. At least, if you are to believe Hartzell's "fish story," the obliging fish kept his watch wound and in running order for over a year.

A year ago, Hartzell said, he dropped his watch into Butte creek while fishing. This year he caught a trout at the same spot.

"Imagine my surprise," he said, "when cleaning the fish to find my watch. And it was still running and had lost only three minutes in the year."

Hartzell said he believed the action of the fish's gills must have kept the watch wound.

Property Unknowingly
Became Public Driveway

Valparaiso, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bryant, Hebron, Ind., waited so long to remodel their property that they and their neighbor, Mrs. Lillian Henderson, lost part of their land.

The land—a strip one rod wide and 11½ rods long—lay between the two families' houses, and for 60 years had been used by the public. When the Bryants remodeled their house two years ago they found the disputed strip belonged originally to them and Mrs. Henderson, and they had never been paid when it was taken over for public use. They brought suit in the county court here, but the judge decided they had waited too long and the land would have to remain as it was, a public driveway.

Our Friends, the Germs,
Aid in Countless Ways

Colds, influenza, diphtheria, even tuberculosis are generally regarded as the work of malevolent germs, and one is apt to regard all the tribe as inimical to man's well-being, says a writer in Tit-Bits Magazine.

The opposite is really true. Germs are one of man's most beneficial agents and assist him in a thousand ways. They are the active factor in yeast, without which bread would be almost unobtainable. They give that appetizing flavor to good cheese and their distinctive aroma to wines and spirits. They give tenderness to meat, help in the maturing of to bacco, in the formation of peat and coal, and in the making of linen and leather.

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GORHAM NORMAL SCHOOL

Examinations are coming thick and fast at the Gorham Normal School, much to the discontent of most of us. For this reason, girl's athletics will be postponed until February 1. At that time also, Babington and Deck tennis will be introduced. There was no outside basketball game either, for the same reason, although interclass games have been going on.

Tuesday evening, Mrs. Hortense Rallsback of Boston presented a reading entitled "Another Language," in Russell Hall Gymnasium. There was a large number in attendance, both outside visitors and students.

The Glee Club held its regular meeting in Miss Andrews' room on Friday morning. The Club decided that they would present a Chapel Program some time in the near future.

The Green and White Editorial Board held a banquet Monday Night in honor of Mr. Edward Duley of Portland, the printer of the Year Book, Miss Bess Lewis and Mr. Weedon, faculty advisors, were also guests of the board. The banquet was held in East Hall Dining Room. A delicious menu was served consisting of steak, french fried potatoes, peas, hot rolls, pickles, ice cream and coffee. Speeches were made by the guests of honor and the editor-in-chief, Miss Dorothy Packard.

Miss Esther Wood, instructor of History at the Normal School, was the speaker at the regular meeting of the Poetry Club this week. Her subject was Miss Emily Dickinson, her life and letters.

Dr. Russell Green, one of the Gorham physicians, was the speaker at the Young Men's Christian Association meeting held this week.

Can't See Neutrons
Scientists talk glibly of neutrons, yet they have never seen one. They say that these tiny atomic particles are about one-millionth the size of the smallest wave length of light, and that man will never see anything smaller than the smallest light wave, even under the most powerful microscope.

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Questions

1. Where was the first source of supply of diamond?
2. Who was the Swedish Nightingale?
3. To whom was the Book of Romans written?
4. What is a fog?
5. What causes weight?
6. What is humidity?
7. Where is Mammoth cave located?
8. Name three different kinds of lightning.
9. What two bodies of water does the Suez canal connect?
10. What are the breathing organs of man called?

Answers to Last Week's Questions

1. James A. Farley.
2. 1913.
3. Zane Grey.
4. The sudden disturbance of the air due to lightning.
5. Bituminous coal.
6. A machine used to remove the seed from cotton.
7. Brazil.
8. Nautilus.
9. Sir Isaac Newton.
10. Hebrews.

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NEWRY - UPTON

NORTH NEWRY

There were no church services here Sunday as Rev. Irons spent the week end in Vermont where he accepted an invitation to preach.

Willard Wight and schoolmate, Charles Dwyer were at his home here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean and small daughter of Colebrook, N. H. were in town Thursday, Jan. 25, to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bean.

Mrs. Daisy Morton was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Brown the first of the week.

S. T. Tripp was at home from Bethel over Sunday.

The committee for the whist party to be held Friday night, Feb. 2, at Bear River Grange Hall, request the members not solicited to bring sandwiches.

Several trucks are busy hauling pulp from Grafton, which is being landed along Bear River. Some of the trucks haul night and day.

Arnold Eames was at home the last of the week.

There was no school at the "Head of the Tide" Monday on account of the severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight, Miss Frances Lane, Mrs. Daisy Morton and Ramona Morton attended the wedding reception Thursday evening, Jan. 24, of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bean.

SLAP-DASH SEWING FATAL FOR THOSE MAKING COATS

Slap-dash sewing won't do when making a coat but a satisfactory job can be accomplished if the work is done carefully asserts Helen Spaulding, Clothing Specialist for the Extension Service. Otherwise, it is best to stretch the dollar some other way.

Speaking about a real problem of an assumed Mrs. Smith, Miss Spaulding says:

What argument can be used in this case? Mrs. Smith hasn't much money, but she does need a new coat. She goes about where people notice clothes so that her coat ought to look pretty well, not expensive, but inconspicuously well made. Mrs. Smith hasn't sewed very much, but she decides that she can and will make a new coat herself. She invests a modest but not negligible sum in coat material and is all set to get the coat ready to wear by Saturday night. She could do it even with the children at home and the housework to do, if she didn't stop to fuss too much.

By fussing too much, she means stopping to pin her pattern in place, taking pains to correct the pattern by her own figure before cutting, cutting exactly on the edge of the pattern, busting before sewing and pressing cautiously during construction. To do the making thus carefully would delay the wearing until the next Saturday night.

This is the only valid argument. Unless the coat is made carefully it will have scalloped seams, will not hold its shape and will be so unsatisfactory that the maker will put it away disgusted. She will be convinced that it is useless for her to try to save by sewing at home. She will have thrown away the cost of her material, and the value of one week's labor. If she had spent the two weeks' labor she might have saved the value of the material and have had the results of the labor in usable form.

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NEWRY FARM BUREAU STUDIES COAT MAKING

The Farm Bureau met with Mrs. Daisy Warren Wednesday of last week with eleven members, five guests and two children present. A square meal for health was served buffet style by the dinner committee, Mrs. Louise Learned, Mrs. Grace Arsenault and Mrs. Grace Hulbert. The menu consisted of vegetable casserole, cabbage salad, pickles, white and dark bread, mock Indian pudding with whipped cream, cookies and coffee.

Miss Ada Brewster, Home Demonstration Agent, of South Paris, and Miss Helen Spaulding of Orono were present, the latter being the State Specialist on Clothing. The subject of this meeting was Coat Making.

The next meeting will be Feb. 7 with Mrs. Percy Walker.

NEWRY CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

Mrs. Ralph Brown and daughter returned home Saturday from Rumford.

Ernest L. Holt was at Bethel Wednesday night of last week and installed the officers of Alder River Grange.

Cricket Takes Its Name From Stick or Cric Used

Cricket seems to be originally a purely English game, and takes its name from the clubbed stick, or cric, first used to hit the ball. In an old book of the Twelfth century there is a picture of a woman bowling to a man with a wooden club in his hand, while several "belders" stand round, but there are no wickets. And we certainly should not call a game cricket unless there are two sets of stumps in the ground. But the game was played originally without wickets; and it was another game, called "stool-ball," that suggested to those early players that it would be fun to have something behind the batsman to hit. In stool-ball, the bowler tried to hit the stool with the ball, while the batsman hit it away if he could. So before long sticks—sometimes two, sometimes three, perhaps the three legs of the stool—were used as wickets, and cricket became much more like cricket as we think of it.

Even two hundred years ago, the shape of a cricket-bat was almost the same shape as a cudgel, the wickets were two very short stumps, and the runs were scored by notches cut in a stick.—Montreal Herald.

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UPTON

Miss Myrtle Pratt was home from Gorham Normal School over the week end.

Rev. R. S. Irons had an appointment in Vermont last Sunday, so there was no service in this church on that date.

Albert Judkins was home from Gould Academy over the week end.

The Farm Bureau held a meeting at the Grange Hall last Thursday with 16 members present. The subject was Coat Making. Miss Brewster, H. D. A., was present. Dinner was served at noon to two men and six children besides the members and Miss Brewster.

There was a very small attendance at the Grange meeting Saturday evening. The Charter was draped in memory of Brother Enoch Abbott.

NORTH LOVELL

Mrs. Bertha Laroque went to Laconia, N. H., to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Hannah Dane, widow of George Dane last Sunday, Jan. 21.

Perley McKeen has been quite sick. Dr. Hubbard was called Friday night.

Four government surveyors are boarding at W. F. Harriman's. Their headquarters are at Laconia, N. H.

Sophia Butters was home from the Tuell Hospital at Biddeford a few days.

Lester Seymour, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Prudent Bodard passed away at the Conway Memorial Hospital Monday morning, Jan. 22. He was 11 months old. The funeral was held Wednesday.

The 4-H Club met with Ursula Laroque Saturday afternoon.

Laura McKeen entertained the Circle Friday night. There was a large crowd at the social held after supper. Home made candy was served.

Herman Bodard was called home from the C. C. C. Camp at Stow part of the week by the death of his baby brother.

Maurice Kimball has been cutting ice for Arthur Andrews, Fred Mason and John Meserve.

Freeman McKeen and Archie Hill have been packing ice for Fred Mason.

Lester Fogg has been taking radium treatments at the Central Maine General Hospital in Portland.

Amos McKeen hauled wood for Jesse Adams one day last week. Susie Millerkin called on Mrs. Abbie McKeen Friday.



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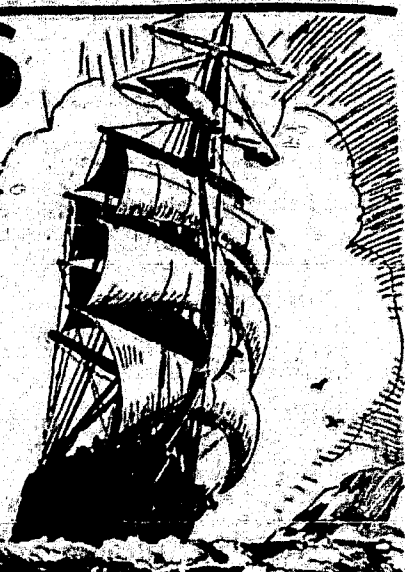
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CHAPTER I

SEVENTY hours of hard nor'easter had tied up marine activities in and about the little fishing port on the Maine coast, and now on the warm hazy day that followed, work and play began to carry on again.

Lobster men put out to haul and bait their pots. Small inshore seiners stood on and off, masthead look-outs on watch for the first run of mackerel reported. A scanty summer population, for the place was remote and thus far unexploited, ventured forth in pleasure craft, skirting the rugged storm-beaten coastline enjoying the smell and feel of the sea breezes.

A furlong off a rocky point where the sluggish swell mounted more steeply over a sunken ledge known as Pollock rock, a young man in a fisherman's dory was shoving his boat slowly and to all appearances aimlessly about. He stood facing forward and thrust at the oars with easy strokes.

Passing fishermen sighting him thus employed were mildly curious about the object of his efforts.

"What's Tom Jordan doin' over yonder?"

"Dunno. Tryin' to sweep up an anchor, maybe. There's plenty of 'em down there."

This theory was as good as any other. But it was not enough to satisfy the curiosity of a girl who since early morning had kept Tom under observation from the porch or window of a long, rambling house that was set on a knoll under the oaks of a wooded island about a furlong away. The young man once or twice had caught the heliographic flash from the fore lenses of her glass; he smiled to himself, a little sheepishly.

He smiled still more when presently he saw her go down the winding steps, big slabs of stone, and walk out on the runway to the float. Getting into a rowboat she shoved

off and pulled in his direction with a stroke that was of the longshoreman rather than of the athletic oarswoman.

Coming alongside she rested on her oars.

"What in the world are you up to, Tom?"

"Call it treasure hunting, Jess-ica." His voice had the local accent,

old English with a slight drawl.

"What sort of treasure?"

"Your sort. You."

"Me, Tom? Where do you think am?" A twinkle appeared in the dark eyes.

"All around me, just out of reach. Up overhead, or down below there. That seems the handiest place to look for you just now."

"Down there?" quizzically.

"Down there." He pointed to the colorful reflection in the still water.

"But you said you were after treasure. I'd never have thought you a fortune hunter, Tom."

"I am, though. Only it's not your fortune I'm after. One to match Jessica nodded, and her long lashes drooped. She knew his meaning—and secretly wished that somehow he could reach success.

Between the two of them—or between Jessica and any suitor, as far as that went—balked a conditional inheritance of one hundred thousand dollars. By the terms of her father's will, in order even to seek in marriage, a man would have to own that amount. "Sometimes wonder if money is worth it much," she questioned demurely.

"You see, if ever I did want to marry, I'd have to do all my chasing in the baldheaded row. Of course I don't—and then, even if I did, Lochinvar came out of the water with saddle bags full of gold, there are two pretty long ifs, even if I had my guardian's consent—and mine."

"I'll cross those bridges when I come to them," Tom said dogmatically. "But I'll cross 'em!"

"Yes, that will be time enough," Jessica admitted. "Gardie says fortune is about one hundred thousand dollars. Do you think you hook that much off bottom, Tom?"

"No. But, with a little good luck, I might hook up the key to open vault to it."

Jessica stared at him with a zled curiosity, though Tom appeared suddenly to have lost interest in the pleasant and easy task of fishing at the girl. Rising in the boat he shaded his eyes with his hand, glare at a motor cruiser that was heading out around the east end of the island from which Jessica had rowed.

"There they are again," he growled as if to himself.



Getting Into a Rowboat Off and Pulled in His

"There who are?" Jessica

in surprise.

"Those foreign looking fellows over early this morning the Corvette led soundings," he muttered.

"Nothing, but turn the cruiser with its full crew long and with a anxiety on her face."

Suddenly, coming brown study and with the curious-looking apparition almost filled his dory, a ringing laugh. "Tally! I actually believe trying to locate the nettle."

"Well, what if I am? I'm beginning to believe the only one. There's the same job—that p... and another one. Harbor. Look like Cor- gies me, though, is a

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All down the ages, foot racing has been practiced by grownups as well as by children. The Greeks were great runners, and the foot races at the Olympic games were famous all over the world. Some of these were so strenuous that we are told that several runners actually fell down dead at the end of the course, says the Montreal Herald.

In England in the Eighteenth century, races were run on foot for large sums of money, sometimes with ridiculous handicaps. For example, one man with a jockey on his back raced a fat, elderly gentleman; another bowled a coach wheel at eight miles an hour round a platform in St. Giles' fields in London; and a third ran from Hyde Park corner to Brentford with nearly sixty pounds of fish on his head!

It was quite usual at country weddings in the north of England, less than a century ago, for races to be run from the church door to the bride's house for ribbons. As soon as the wedding was over, the guests would race back to the house, and the first arrival was awarded the bride's ribbon, which was greatly prized.

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GOLDEN WEDDING

—Continued from Page One—

May the joyful notes out-peal all sadness,
Ringing out from the wedding bell.
List to the tones that chime so lightly
Ringing of days that have passed so brightly
Telling that gracefully you grow old—
Slowly swaying, gently ringing—
Telling the joys the years are bringing,
What a mellow tone has the bell of gold.

Fifty years since that winter morning
When with hearts so light and gay,
While the sun's rays, in its dawn-ing
Lit the snowflakes by the way,
Forth together side by side
You went forth—a groom and bride,
To keep step ever on life's high-way;

Up hill places you have seen
On that journey too, I ween,
And sometimes the skies were grey.

But methinks you two together
Would quaff mingled joy and pain;
"Make the best" of any weather
For oft times the path was shady,
And your love was true and steady
Whether fickle fortune frowned or laughed with glee
And as down upon your brows
Old Time sifts his silver snows,
May Peace and Love forever bide with thee.

Bethel, Jan. 26th, 1934.

Insects Show Intellect; Have Persuasive Powers

Bees can be taught to select boxes containing sugar by their color; butterflies can distinguish between apple juice and other liquids by touching them with their feet and one form of ant will respond to high staccato notes from a violin. Such are some of the examples of highly developed insect senses described by an official in an address before the Entomological society of London.

"Many insects are so highly organized," he said, "that I feel compelled to credit them with faculties at least in some degree more advanced than mere unconscious responses. Ants can recognize each other, and distinguish members of a rival colony. They can induce others to join them in some apparently purposeful action." Discussing the eyes of insects he said that in the eye of the butterfly there might be 5,000 independent components.

Pronouncing Chinese Names

There are a number of dialects in China, all from a common stock, but differing considerably in pronunciation and spoken vocabulary. When Chinese words are written in Arabic alphabet they are written phonetically and should be pronounced as spelled, since no American or European, without studying the language, can hope to approximate the various tones and inflections of a Chinese. There is a broad distinction between the written and spoken language, and while a Chinese from Canton would not understand one from Foochow, they both (if literate) would be able to read the same characters. Mandarin, spoken around Peking, is the standard form of the language, and is used by travelers throughout China, being most likely to be understood. —Pittsfield Magazine.

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HERE AND THERE IN MAINE

S. A. Herzog, counsel for the National Wholesale Lobster Dealers Association, stated that Maine produces 57% of the lobsters in the country.

William Frederick Leonard, who has been connected with the canning industry at Portland for 26 years died Friday at the age of 56. The first job he ever had was secretary to Robert Todd Lincoln.

For the second time in 14 months fire drove six families from a three story brick house on Grant Street, Portland, Monday. Five of the six families had undergone a similar experience on Dec. 13, 1932.

Gasoline tax receipts in 1933 totaled \$4,266,663.29, a drop of \$131,371.28 below the 1932 total.

The Civil Works Administration expects to have paid \$200,000 in wages to the 1,606 men and five women working on brown tail moth control before the project ends.

A bequest of \$50,000 was made to Bowdoin College in the will of the late Evans Searle Pillsbury of San Francisco. Pillsbury was attending Bowdoin when the Civil War started and left to enlist in the Union Army.

Seven hundred Maine snowshoers arrived in Manchester, N. H., last Friday to attend the three day International Snowshoe Convention.

The fire department of Augusta ordered the removal of clothing, blankets and shoes stored between the walls of the State House dome and the transfer of desks and clerks from the high balcony around the inside of the dome.

Since new regulations became effective employees working on G. W. A. projects are working but 24 hours a week.

President Roosevelt's nationwide birthday parties yielded receipts of \$931,228. Receipts from parties in Maine were \$8,000.

Born

In North Waterford, Jan. 10, to the wife of Charles Cummings, a son, Bernal Wesley.
In Norway, Jan. 12, to the wife of Clarence E. Linscott, a daughter, Louise Annette.

Died

In West Paris, Jan. 28, Thomas Flint, aged 94 years.
In Norway, Jan. 25, Charles Towle, aged 58 years.
In Norway, Jan. 24, Frederick H. Decoster, aged 82 years.
In Summit, N. J., Jan. 24, Adams Griffin, summer resident of Bryant Pond, aged 62 years.
In West Paris, Jan. 28, Mrs. Frances Noyes, aged 105 years.
In Conway, N. H., Jan. 22, Lester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Prudent Beards of North Lovell, aged 11 months.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

L. A. Edwards, Pastor
9:30 Church School. Miss Ida Packard, Superintendent.

Last week the officers and teachers laid plans for a membership contest which begins the first Sunday in February. We want every boy and girl who is not in Sunday School somewhere to get into this friendly rivalry. If you were not in Church School last Sunday then come next Sunday and learn all about it.

11:00 Morning Worship with a message by the pastor. A sermon is in process of preparation on the subject, "The Problem of Church Attendance." This may be deferred until a later date and a report of the Convocation held this week in Bangor, which is being attended by the pastor, given.

6:30 Comrades of the Way. Subject, "Organized Murder." Leader Richard Young.

METHODIST CHURCH

R. C. Dalzell, Pastor
9:45 Sunday School. Supt. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham.

11:00 Morning Worship. Topic, A Knot That It Needs God's Help To Unravel. At this service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

6:30 Epworth League. This is the month of biography in the Epworth League. Feb. 4, Life of Moses, Mrs. Dalzell; Feb. 11, Abraham Lincoln, Mrs. Florence Hamlin; Feb. 18, Washington, Mrs. Elsie Davis; Feb. 25, Topic to be chosen, Mrs. Edna York.

7:30 Evening Service.
7:20 Tuesday evening. Prayer service.

On Thursday afternoon the Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. Ada Tyler. Will every member try to be present.

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Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
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HOME ORGANIZATION AND POULTRY MEETINGS ARE ARRANGING

During February joint Farm Bureau meetings for both men and women will be held in many Oxford County communities. In the forenoon the home demonstration agent will discuss Home Organization with special reference to the relationship between prices received by products farmers have to sell and prices paid for commodities bought for support of the farm family. Some helpful suggestions will be given to aid in the economical expenditure of the farm income.

In the afternoon some poultry problems will be pointed out and discussed by the county agent. Special reference will be made to the poultry outlook for the next months and some conditions contributing to the present situation will be studied with the aid of diagrams of 113 poultry accounts kept by Maine poultrymen in 1932. Following this poultry house ventilation and temperature control will be considered and ways of solving these problems that have been successfully used by some poultrymen will be pointed out.

The discussions, both the forenoon and afternoon sessions, are presented in such a way as to be of equal interest to men and women.

Dinner will be served at noon. All meetings will begin at 10:30 according to the following schedule:

Norway, Feb. 3, Grange Hall
Bethel, Feb. 5, Grange Hall
East Bethel, Feb. 6, Grange Hall
Buckfield, Feb. 8, Farm Bureau Hall
North Paris, Feb. 15 or 16, Community Hall
Waterford, Feb. 20, Wilkins Community Hall
North Rumford, Feb. 21, Grange Hall
Rumford Center
Fryeburg, Feb. 23, Harbor Church Vestry
South Paris, Feb. 24, Grange Hall

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Miss Catherine Ly... relatives in Boston.
Mrs. W. B. Twadd... her home because
Miss Iva Bartlett... with Miss Maxim
Mrs. Vivian Higgi... called away by illness

Rev. L. A. Edwards... last week to attend

Miss Electa Chapin... last week with Miss

W. H. Young of Por... week end guest of his

Miss Catherine Sea... Carter were in the

Mrs. Laura Robert... Maine, is visiting Mrs.

at Middle Interva... Miss Barbara Sears

is the guest of... P. Austin and fami-

Mrs. P. C. Lapham... for several weeks,

be around the house... Fred Haggood has

crutches for several... staying at Harry L.

Ernest Bisbee has b... of L. W. Ramsel-

business of Ramsell &... The annual Washing-

per given by the R... Thursday, Feb. 22,

hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Gran... land were the wed-

ding of their son, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tyler is

home because of... from a fall in his

Thursday.

The regular meeting... Footlight Club will

at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Betty Anderson's

Mr. and Mrs. John... the meeting of Por-

Bryant Pond Tues... Mrs. Virginia Little

duties at Rowe's st... confined to her h-

as the result of... The Mothers' Club w-

Marion Kimball... 14. Mothers are

ag incidents about... Gladys Lord of

Edith Ingalls, wh... employed there, has

Mr. and Mrs. Paul T... Saturday night on

for Trinidad, LaO... Caracao, Panama